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TO: All Agency Training Officers

COMMUNIST PARTY ORGANIZATION AND OPERATIONS COURSE

1-26 June 64 (4 weeks) Rm 703 Broyhill Building

The Communist Party Organization and Operations course is starting on 1 June and will run, on a half-day basis, thru 26 June. Training Officers are asked to send applications for the course as soon as possible.

The course is designed for Intelligence Officers whose work requires (or will require) information on the organization and activities on the Communist movement. The movement is examined as a whole but most of the instruction is on the Communist Party outside the Sino-Soviet bloc. Specifically there is:

an introduction to the course which surveys the evolution of the main principles of the Communist Party organization.

a detailed examination of the structure and functions of open and underground parties.

an examination of the internal operations of a Communist Party, including its techniques and resources which relate to recruitment, membership, discipline, finance, education, and indoctrination.

an analysis of Communist front organizations and international fronts--their role, organization and exploitation by the Communists.

an examination of Communist programs and tactics, political action, alliance, labor, and insurgency.

a summary of the status and potential of the international Communist movement.

Please note: CPO&O is a prerequisite for the Covert Action Operations course. The next CPO&O is in early October.

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